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Sir:

Please provide the undersigned with a statement regarding the above-mentioned patent application. This application was filed on September 25, 2003.

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